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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.312**

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Sir:

The following amendment and remarks are submitted in response to the Notice of  
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